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INFO OCT-01 NEA-10 ISO-00 CIAE-00 COME-00 DODE-00 FMC-04

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TO AMCONSUL BOMBAY

INFO AMEMBASSY NEW DELHI

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: ETRN, IN

SUBJECT: INCREASE IN PORT DETENTION SURCHARGE

REF: NEW DELHI 12073 OF OCTOBER 17, 1973

1. DEPT INFORMED BY FEDERAL MARITIME COMMISSION (FMC) THAT THE WEST COAST OF INDIA AND PAKISTAN/U.S.A. CONFERENCE, WHICH ESTABLISHED A 25 PERCENT PORT DETENTION SURCHARGE ON ALL FREIGHT CHARGES FOR CARGOES ORIGINATING FROM BOMBAY, INDIA, EFFECTIVE NOVEMBER 24, 1973, WILL INCREASE THIS SURCHARGE TO 30 PERCENT EFFECTIVE DECEMBER 10, 1973.

2. SO THAT FMC MAY EVALUATE THE SITUATION, DEPT REQUESTS CONSULATE GENERAL FURNISH CURRENT REPORT ON CONDITION AT SUBJECT PORT, CITING REASONS (BESIDES CONDITIONS STATED IN REFTEL) FOR ESTABLISHMENT OF SURCHARGE AND ITS FURTHER INCREASE EFFECTIVE DECEMBER 10. DEPT ALSO REQUESTS DETERMINATION AS TO WHY NO SURCHARGE HAS BEEN IMPLEMENTED OUTBOUND AND IF THE INDIA, PAKISTAN, CEYLON, BANGLADESH, UNCLASSIFIED

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AND BURMA OUTWARD FREIGH CONFERENCE MAY BE PLANNING TO

REQUEST SUCH A SURCHARGE. KISSINGER

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